GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
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DESTRUCTION OF ENVIRONMENT BY MINING ACTIVITY
RAM SHAKAL

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the mining works in hilly districts of Uttar Pradesh has been affecting the environment badly for the last many years;

(b) if so, the details of districts where such mining has been taking place along with the names of companies doing excavation work thereby destroying environment; and

(c) the action taken against each such company?

Answer

MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI T. R. BAALU)

(a), (b), (c) : Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.